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SUPPLEMENTAL REQUEST FOR WITHDRAWAL AS ATTORNEY

Dear Sir:

I hereby apply to withdraw as attorney of record in the above-referenced patent application.

This request is made on behalf of myself and of all attorneys of record.

The Assignee knowingly and freely assents to the withdrawal of all attorneys of record and therefore the granting of this request is appropriate under 37 C.F.R. § 10.40(c)(5).

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The Assignee is expected to appoint John Jones and his firm, Locke Liddell & Sapp LLP, as their new attorneys of record in the above-referenced patent application shortly.

This request is respectfully submitted in triplicate.

Also enclosed is a return receipt postcard to acknowledge receipt of this request.

Respectfully submitted,

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